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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re: application of:**  
**Theoharis C. Theoharides**  
**Serial No. 10/652,312**  
**Filed: 08/29/2003**

**Examiner: James W. Rogers**  
**GAU: 1618**

**For: Proteoglycan Compositions for the Treatment of Cardiovascular  
Inflammatory Diseases**

**Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment**

**Commissioner for Patents**  
**POB 1450**  
**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**  
**Mail Stop: Non-fee Amendment**

**Sir:**

**Responsive to the captioned Notice mailed 05/11/2006 applicant submits,  
on a separate sheet, the status of each claim.**

**The application respectfully requests that all rejections now be withdrawn,  
and all claims passed to allowance and issuance expeditiously.**

**Date of signature: May 15, 2006**

**Respectfully submitted,**

  
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